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METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR

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The present communication responds to the Notice of Allowance dated February 2, 2006 in the above-identified application. Please amend the application as indicated in the listing of claims beginning on page 2.